

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kazushi FUKUTA et al. Group Art Unit: 2852

Application No.: 10/663,823 Examiner: S. Brase

Filed: September 17, 2003 Docket No.: 116880

For: A SEPARABLE CLEANING DEVICE FOR AN IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

(AS AMENDED)

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the October 26, 2004, Office Action, the period for reply being extended to **April 26, 2005**, by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Amendments to the Drawings include an attached replacement sheet; and

Remarks.